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At Least They Will be Warned

Aides to new CIA chief William Casey note thankfully that in view of his endemic mumble Casey is the first intelligence head in recent memory to have no need for a scrambler. Admiral Bobby Inman, Casey's deputy at CIA, is given high marks by experts as a super-professional. Formerly head of NSA, Inman correctly predicted China's invasion of Vietnam, and the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan. Furthermore he reported at the end of last year that the Soviet Union would not invade Poland before Christmas. Inman—whose full name is Bobby Ray—had little time for Casey's predecessor, Admiral Stansfield Turner, regarding him as an incompetent waffler.